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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
The Portals
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: **EX PARTE SUBMISSION**

WT Docket No. 03-66; Amendment of Parts 1, 21, 73, 74 and 101 of the
Commission's Rules to Facilitate the Provision of Fixed and
Mobile Broadband Access, Educational and Other Advanced Services
in the 2150-2162 and 2500- 2690 MHz Bands

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On behalf of the National ITFS Association (NIA) and the Catholic Television Network ("CTN"), Dave Moore, Director, Department of Telecommunications Services, Archdiocese of Los Angeles, and Member of the Boards of Directors of both NIA and CTN, Edwin N. Lavergne, counsel to CTN and I made an ex parte presentation yesterday to Commissioner Copps and John Giusti, regarding the referenced proceeding.

Our presentation focused on the issue whether the FCC should modify the existing substantive EBS lease requirement limiting such leases to 15 years. NIA and CTN continue to believe that the 15-year limit clearly furthers the educational purposes of EBS by, among other things, ensuring an opportunity for educators to reevaluate their educational use and leasing activities on a periodic basis, and that the limit can only be modified if the FCC can assure that these educational needs are met in some other manner.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's Rules, we are submitting this summary of the presentation by filing an electronic copy of this letter in the public record of the proceeding.

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Should any questions arise concerning this matter, kindly contact undersigned counsel for the National ITFS Association or Mr. Lavergne, counsel for CTN.

Respectfully submitted,

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